

# CORRECTED FISCAL NOTE

## SJR 31

February 16, 2005

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Proposed constitutional amendment, previously approved by the 103<sup>rd</sup> General Assembly, relative to the marital contract between one man and one woman. This resolution would be placed on the 2006 regular November general election ballot.

### ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

On February 11, 2005 we issued a fiscal note which indicated *a one-time increase in state expenditures of \$20,000.*

Based on additional information provided to us, the estimated fiscal impact of this bill is:

#### (CORRECTED)

**Increase Local Govt. Expenditures – \$20,000 One-Time FY06-07\***

Assumptions:

- A one-time publication cost of \$20,000 to local governments in the fall of 2006 for each county election commission to print the text of the proposed amendment in a newspaper of general circulation in the county. This estimate is based on other recent election publications.
- No additional voting expenses will be incurred since the question will be included on the regular general election ballot.

\*Article II, Section 24 of the Tennessee Constitution provides that: *no law of general application shall impose increased expenditure requirements on cities or counties unless the General Assembly shall provide that the state share in the cost.*

### CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



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